IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA AT CHANDIGARH

C.W.P. No. 17753 of 2006

Date of decision: November 10, 2006

Fatehjit Singh and Ors .....Petitioner

Versus

Director Land Record, Punjab and Ors .....Respondents

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE ASHUTOSH MOHUNTA
HON'BLE MRS. JUSTICE NIRMAL YADAV

Present: Mr. G.S.Nagra, Advocate
for the petitioners

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ASHUTOSH MOHUNTA, J (Oral)

Learned counsel for the petitioners contends that despite the fact that a petition under Section 42 of the East Punjab Holdings (Consolidation and Prevention of Fragmentation) Act, 1948 (in short *'the Act, 1948'*), has been filed before the respondent No.1 for partition of *Bachat Land* in the year 2002, but till date no final decision has been taken by the competent authority.

After hearing the learned counsel for the petitioners, we dispose of the present writ petition with a direction to respondent No. 1 to decide the petition under Section 42 of the Act, 1948, filed by the petitioners expeditiously.

(ASHUTOSH MOHUNTA)
JUDGE

(NIRMAL YADAV)
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